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HON. JOHN TIGHE

Assemblyman Tighe's letter should be read by every brain worker leading a strenuous life.

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NOT HER VOCATION.

"During my six weeks' absence," said the proprietor of a rental agency, "I left my wife in charge of the office, and she didn't rent a single house in all that time."

"Well, that jibes well with the eternal fitness of things," rejoined his friend, the attorney. "A woman is naturally a housekeeper, not a house renter."—Detroit Tribune.

Wiggins—I understand, sir, that you said I was a fool.

Higgins—Well, I'm glad to know that you are capable of understanding something.—Chicago News.

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GAS AND WATER.

IS ONE AS NECESSARY AS THE OTHER?

Citizens of Large Cities Say It Is.

New York, June 12.—In the recent agitation here about the price of gas, the demand for lower rates was supported by the argument that every resident is as dependent upon a supply of gas as upon a supply of good water.

It has come to pass that the day laborer uses gas as his only fuel for cooking, because of economy, and the rich man uses gas on account of its convenience. Gas for lighting, with modern improvements in burners, is cheaper, better and more satisfactory than any other kind of light. Gas sells at \$1.00 per thousand cubic feet in large cities, and from that to as high as \$3.00 in smaller towns.

The consumer of gas in the country uses Acetylene (pronounced a-set-a-lene), and each user makes his own gas and is independent of Gas and Electric Companies. Acetylene is a more perfect illuminant than the gas sold by the big gas companies in the cities, and the cost to the smallest user is about the equivalent of city gas at 55 cents per thousand.

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HE HAD A JONAH'S TIME OF IT.
Evangelist Working Way to Mexico Cast Away in a Storm.

The Rev. J. M. Johnson, an evangelist, who is conducting a series of union Gospel meetings in Laredo, Texas, recently had to undergo some of the experiences of the Biblical Jonah, but the whale did not come to swallow him. Mr. Johnson is a young man who was admitted to the ministry a few years ago, and was pastor of the First Congregational Church of Lake Charles, La.

A few weeks ago he was impressed with the belief that he was called to preach the Gospel to the poor people of Mexico. He was without money, so he shipped as cook on a fishing vessel, bound for the red snapper banks of Tampico, Mexico.

The fishing fleet had gone about 200 miles when a violent storm arose. Mr. Johnson then made it known that he was a minister and went among the crew, trying to quiet their fears. The motley lot, filled with superstition, raised the cry that the cook was the hoodoo of the whole fleet. It was resolved that he should be cast overboard. His pleadings, however, resulted in their placing him in a small boat to drift in a terrific sea. He was picked up by another boat, but set adrift again, with no food or water.

For three days he was at the mercy of the seas. He prayed and wept by turns. Great billows rolled over the boat. On the evening of the third day he was picked up by a fishing yawl homeward bound for Rockport, Texas. He was almost unconscious. After recuperating at Lockport he came to Laredo. His revival meetings here are largely attended, and he has made many conversions. He says that he is still determined to enter the Mexican field.—New York Times.

Another is that of an Irish girl, guilty of stealing some handkerchiefs. Convicted a second time for a similar offense, she received thirty-nine lashes on the bare back.—New York Times.

Many Versions of Common Name. A German resident in Portugal, whose patronymic is Schmitz, or our famous English Smith, has been writing home to Cologne complaining of the spelling of his name adopted by various Portuguese correspondents. Here are a few of them: Smhytis, Scimithz, Xemite, Chemitz and Schemeth.

TWO REASONS.

Oldbeau—I thought you might be in love with her.
Jack Robinson—What made you think so?
Oldbeau—Why, you're young and she's pretty.—Harper's Bazar.

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PAUL MORTON GIVEN REINS

Retiring Secretary of Navy Chosen to Adjust Equitable Row.

HEAD OFFICERS RESIGN

Alexander, Hyde, Wilson and McIntyre Sever Connection With Society. Hyde Also Sells Stock.

A New York dispatch says: Paul Morton, who retires from the secretaryship of the navy on July 1, has been elected chairman of the board of directors of the Equitable Life Assurance Society. His election marks the first and most important step in the reorganization of the society, and was followed by the tender of the resignations of President James W. Alexander, Vice President Hyde, Second Vice President Tarbell, Third Vice President Wilson and Fourth Vice President McIntyre.

The new chairman to further quote Senator Depew, did not consent to take office until he had received positive assurances that he would have a "free hand as to measures and men."

Mr. Hyde "divested" himself of the majority control, but as made clear in his letter to the board, retains a substantial interest in the society.

All of the resignations submitted to the meeting are subject to the pleasure of Chairman Morton and none have yet been accepted.

Just what action Mr. Morton will take as to these resignations was not disclosed, but it was strongly intimated that President Alexander and Vice Presidents Tarbell, Wilson and McIntyre retired with the belief that their executive relations with the Equitable had ended.

The interests to which Mr. Hyde disposed of his stock number some two score individuals, led by Thomas F. Ryan, vice president of the Morton Trust company, which has close relations with the Mutual Life Insurance company, one of the Equitable Society's principal rivals.

NICHOLAS THANKS ROJESTVENSKY.

Admiral and Men are Lauded for Bravery. A Remarkable Document.

Emperor Nicholas has cabled the following message to Admiral Rojestyevsky:

"From my heart I thank you and all the officers of the Squadron who have so honorably done their duty for your unselfish work for Russia and for me. By the will of the Almighty success was not destined to crown your endeavors, but your boundless bravery will always be a source of pride to the country. I wish you a speedy recovery. May God console you all."

"NICHOLAS."
The peculiar wording of the message is attracting attention. The restriction of the emperor's thanks to those honorably doing their duty is fanning the ugly talk regarding the surrender and the conduct of some of the crews. The messages of Admiral Enquist and Captain Chagin, of the Russian cruiser Almaz, did not contain any intimation of misbehavior on the part of the officers or crew.

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LAUDATION OF ROOSEVELT

Is Expressed On All Sides Over His Shrewd Diplomacy in Peace Movement.

A St. Petersburg dispatch says: The text of President Roosevelt's personal appeal to the sovereigns of the warring countries to arrange a meeting of the plenipotentiaries for the purpose of agreeing on terms of peace, which arrived Saturday morning, rent the veil, and for the skeptics at St. Petersburg who refused to believe President Roosevelt's efforts to bring the belligerents together could succeed, it came like a bomb shell. President Roosevelt's "sole purpose to bring about a meeting" has been achieved and now it is merely a question of whether the results will be the peace for which the whole civilized world will pray.

It is a diplomatic triumph of the first magnitude and the diplomats could make no attempt to conceal their admiration of the new world brand of diplomacy which acts while the remainder of the world thinks.

A London dispatch says: The keenest interest is manifested in President Roosevelt's note endeavoring to bring Japan and Russia to an understanding. While the British government is not taking any active part in the negotiations, it is giving the most cordial support to the president, of whose actions in the matter it has been kept fully informed. Diplomatic and official circles speak in the highest terms of the diplomatic manner in which the president handled the matter and fully accord with what they considered to be the only way in which the difficulty could be overcome. The United States, not being involved in any way, could take action, but even they could do no more than endeavor to start direct negotiations between the belligerents.

A special from Paris is as follows: President Roosevelt's success in opening a way for peace negotiations between Russia and Japan is the absorbing theme and France has forgotten her own troubles with Germany over Morocco to join in enthusiastic approval of the American initial. Portraits of President Roosevelt, Ambassador Meyer, Minister Takahira and Ambassador Cassini appear in all the journals, with pictures of the white house as the scene of the historic origin of the peace movement.

Without exception, comment on President Roosevelt's action is favorable with the expression of a slight sense of disappointment that France, as the ally of Russia, has not taken a more prominent part in effecting the preliminaries.

Baron Rosen, the new Russian ambassador to the United States, who arrived in Paris Saturday night, on his way to Washington, and whose name is mentioned as the probable Russian peace plenipotentiary, said:

"I have arranged to sail for the United States June 28 with my family. In the meantime I am renewing acquaintances here."

"I observed in the press the use of my name as the probable peace plenipotentiary, but that wholly is without my authority or knowledge."

Beyond this Baron Rosen would not discuss the question of peace or war or the part he might take in the negotiations. The departure of the ambassador from St. Petersburg appears to have been before Russia reached final determination to accept the American proposition. Should he be delegated to act as plenipotentiary it will be a month before he arrives at Washington.

WAT K LCS FOR ROOSEVELT.

Minister Griescom Sends Arms Picked Up on Manchurian Battlefields.

Minister Griescom at Tokio has sent a letter to the state department saying that he has forwarded to the department for the president and Secretary Taft, arms that were picked up on the battle fields of Manchuria. These arms are both Japanese and Russian, and include rifles, bayonets, swords and cartridge shells. Two rifles and bayonets are from Fort Arthur and were used in the siege and defense of that stronghold.

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Congressman Burleson Talks of "Leak" Charge Against Department.

A Washington dispatch says: At the request of Secretary Wilson, Congressman Burleson of Texas called at the department of agriculture Wednesday morning and had a two hours' conference with the secretary and A. S. Holmes, acting chief of the bureau of statistics, in the absence of Chief Hyde.

It is supposed that the allegations of the Southern Cotton Association, concerning a leak in the bureau of statistics estimates was the topic discussed by Mr. Burleson and the department officials, but the former had nothing to say on this point when he left the department. As a member of the house committee on agriculture, he has kept in very close touch with statistical matters and others affecting the cotton growers of the south, and it is supposed the secretary wished to get his views on certain points.

"I will have to have more evidence than has yet been even indicated to believe in the possibility of leaks from the bureau of statistics," said Mr. Burleson, after the conference. Further than this he would not discuss that particular phase of the subject, but he talked freely concerning the efforts of the Southern Cotton Association to show that the bureau's acreage and condition estimates were inaccurate and favored the bear speculators.

"Personally," said Mr. Burleson, "I expected that the bureau acreage estimate would show a greater reduction than 11.4 per cent. I looked for something between 13 and 15 per cent. However, it is plain to me that both the acreage and condition estimates as they stand are bullish. This being the case, agitation set on foot by the Southern Cotton Association is ill timed and calculated to result in harm to the farmer rather than in benefit, since the effect of it is to create the impression that the bureau estimates are bearish and force lower prices."

SHIPS THEORETICALLY KNOCKED OUT.

In Mimic War Admiral Dickens Makes Night Attack on Baltimore.

A Baltimore dispatch says: Admiral Dickens did the unexpected thing by making an early morning attack on Fort Howard and the other local fortifications and the battleship Texas, a cruiser and three torpedo destroyers were theoretically blown out of the water by the artillerymen stationed at Fort Howard.